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REPORT FOR THE PERIOD BEGINNING 01/01/08 AND ENDING 12/31/08  
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A. REGISTRANT IDENTIFICATION

NAME OF BROKER-DEALER:

Jane Street Options, LLC

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FIRM ID. NO.

ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS: (Do not use P.O. Box No.)

1 New York Plaza, 33<sup>rd</sup> Floor

(No. and Street)

New York

(City)

New York

(State)

10004

(Zip Code)

NAME AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF PERSON TO CONTACT IN REGARD TO THIS REPORT

Robert Granieri

(212) 651-6023

(Area Code - Telephone Number)

B. ACCOUNTANT IDENTIFICATION

INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT whose opinion is contained in this Report\*

Eisner LLP

(Name - if individual, state last, first, middle name)

750 Third Avenue

New York

New York

10017

(Address)

(City)

(State)

(Zip Code)

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CHECK ONE:

- ☒ Certified Public Accountant  
☐ Public Accountant  
☐ Accountant not in residence in United States or any of its possessions.

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\*Claims for exemption from the requirement that the annual report be covered by the opinion of an independent public accountant must be supported by a statement of facts and circumstances relied on as the basis for the exemption. See Section 240.17a-5(e)(2)

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## OATH OR AFFIRMATION

I, Robert Granieri, swear (or affirm) that, to the best of my knowledge and belief the accompanying financial statement and supporting schedules pertaining to the firm Jane Street Options, LLC, as of December 31, 2008, are true and correct. I further swear (or affirm) that neither the company nor any partner, proprietor, principal officer or director has any proprietary interest in any account classified solely as that of a customer, except as follows:

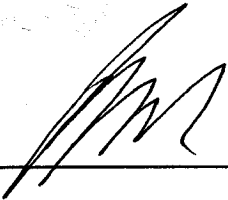
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by 

Signature

Managing Director

Title



Notary Public

Kronemer Barry Jacob  
Notary Public, State of NY  
No. 02KR6089598  
Qualified in New York County  
Commission Exp. 5/1/2011

This report\*\* contains (check all applicable boxes):

- ☒ (a) Facing Page.
- ☒ (b) Statement of Financial Condition.
- ☐ (c) Statement of Income (Loss).
- ☐ (d) Statement of Changes in Financial Condition.
- ☐ (e) Statement of Changes in Stockholders' Equity or Partners' or Sole Proprietor's Capital.
- ☐ (f) Statement of Changes in Liabilities Subordinated to Claims of Creditors.
- ☐ (g) Computation of Net Capital.
- ☐ (h) Computation for Determination of Reserve Requirements Pursuant to Rule 15c3-3.
- ☐ (i) Information Relating to the Possession or Control Requirements Under Rule 15c3-3.
- ☐ (j) A Reconciliation, including appropriate explanation, of the Computation of Net Capital Under Rule 15c3-1 and the Computation for Determination of the Reserve Requirements Under Exhibit A of Rule 15c3-3.
- ☐ (k) A Reconciliation between the audited and unaudited Statements of Financial Condition with respect to methods of consolidation.
- ☒ (l) An Oath or Affirmation.
- ☐ (m) A copy of the SIPC Supplemental Report.
- ☐ (n) A report describing any material inadequacies found to exist or found to have existed since the date of the previous audit.

*\*\*For conditions of confidential treatment of certain portions of this filing, see section 240.17a-5(e)(3).*



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Eisner LLP  
Accountants and Advisors

## JANE STREET OPTIONS, LLC

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

DECEMBER 31, 2008

**JANE STREET OPTIONS, LLC**

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## INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Member of  
Jane Street Options, LLC

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of Jane Street Options, LLC (the "Company") (a wholly owned subsidiary of JSOH, LLC) as of December 31, 2008. This financial statement is the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on this financial statement based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statement is free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statement. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statement referred to above presents fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Jane Street Options, LLC as of December 31, 2008, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Eisner LLC".

New York, New York  
February 27, 2009

**JANE STREET OPTIONS, LLC****STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION****December 31, 2008****ASSETS**

Cash	\$ 991,928
Due from brokers	33,281,217
Securities and options owned, at fair value	48,455,681
Due from affiliates	16,500

<b>Total assets</b>	<b>\$ 82,745,326</b>
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**LIABILITIES AND MEMBER'S EQUITY**

## Liabilities:

Securities and options sold, not yet purchased, at fair value	\$ 73,497,316
Due to affiliates	1,006,085
Due to Holding	702,175
Accrued expenses and other liabilities	72,534

<b>Total liabilities</b>	<b>75,278,110</b>
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Member's equity	7,467,216
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<b>Total liabilities and member's equity</b>	<b>\$ 82,745,326</b>
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See Notes to Statement of Financial Condition

NOTES TO STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

December 31, 2008

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**1. Nature of operations**

Jane Street Options, LLC (the "Company"), a Delaware limited liability company, is a subsidiary of JSOH, LLC (the "Parent"). The Parent is a subsidiary of Jane Street Holding, LLC ("Holding"). The Company is a registered broker-dealer under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. The Company is a member of the Chicago Board of Options Exchange ("CBOE").

**2. Summary of significant accounting policies**

*Basis of Presentation*

This financial statement has been prepared in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America which requires the use of estimates by management.

The Company records transactions in securities and the related revenue and expenses on a trade-date basis.

*Cash*

The Company at times maintains cash in deposit accounts in excess of Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation ("FDIC") limits. The Company has not experienced any losses on such accounts.

*Securities and options owned and Securities and options sold, not yet purchased, at fair value*

Securities owned and securities sold, not yet purchased, are valued at their market prices. Options owned and options sold, not yet purchased are valued at the average of the last bid and ask prices at December 31, 2008. All resulting gains and losses are reflected in Member's equity.

*Income Taxes*

The Company is a single member limited liability company and a disregarded entity for tax purposes; therefore no tax provision has been made in the accompanying financial statement.

*FAS 157*

In September 2006, the Financial Accounting Standards Board (the "FASB") issued Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 157, Fair Value Measurements ("SFAS No. 157"). SFAS No. 157 defines fair value, establishes a framework for measuring fair value, and expands disclosures about fair value measurement. SFAS No. 157 also emphasizes that fair value is a market-based measurement, not an entity-specific measurement, and sets out fair value hierarchy with the highest priority being quoted prices in active markets. Under SFAS No. 157, fair value measurements are disclosed by level within that hierarchy. Financial assets and liabilities carried at fair value are classified and disclosed in one of the following three categories:

## NOTES TO STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

December 31, 2008

**2. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)**

Level 1: Inputs are quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities the Company has the ability to access.

Level 2: Inputs are inputs, other than quoted prices included within Level 1, that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly.

Level 3: Includes unobservable inputs for the asset or liability and relies on management's own assumptions about the assumptions that market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability. The unobservable inputs are developed based on the best information available in the circumstances and may include the Company's own data.

*New Pronouncements*

In June 2006, the FASB issued FASB Interpretation No. 48 ("FIN 48"), *Accounting for Uncertainty in Income Taxes – an interpretation of FASB Statement No. 109*. FIN 48 clarifies the accounting for uncertainty in income taxes recognized in an enterprise's financial statements in accordance with FASB Statement No. 109, *Accounting for Income Taxes*. FIN 48 prescribes a comprehensive model for recognizing, measuring, presenting and disclosing in the financial statements tax positions taken or expected to be taken on a tax return. If there are changes in net assets as a result of application of FIN 48 these will be accounted for as an adjustment to the opening balance of retained earnings. Additional disclosures about the amounts of such liabilities will also be required. In December 2008, the FASB delayed the effective date of FIN 48 for certain nonpublic enterprises to annual financial statements for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2008. The Company will be required to adopt FIN 48 in its 2009 annual financial statement. Management has not assessed the impact of FIN 48 on its financial position and has not determined if the adoption of FIN 48 will have a material effect on this financial statement.

**3. Fair value of financial instruments**

The Company adopted SFAS No. 157, "Fair Value Measurements," on January 1, 2008. The adoption of SFAS No. 157 did not have a material effect on the Company's financial statement.

	<u>Fair Value</u>	<u>Fair Value Hierarchy</u>
Assets		
Securities and options owned	\$ 48,455,681	Level 1
Liabilities		
Securities and options sold, not yet purchased	\$ 73,497,316	Level 1



**NOTES TO STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION**

**December 31, 2008**

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**4. Due from brokers and concentration of credit risk**

The clearing and depository operations for the Company's transactions are provided by two brokers. For financial reporting purposes, amounts Due from brokers have been offset against amounts due to the same broker for Securities and options sold, not yet purchased, and other items.

At December 31, 2008, substantially all of the Securities and options owned and Securities and options sold, not yet purchased, and the amounts Due from brokers reflected in the Statement of Financial Condition are security and option positions with and amounts due primarily from one broker. Subject to the clearing agreements between the Company and the clearing brokers, the clearing brokers have the right to sell or repledge collateral at the clearing brokers. Additionally, investments in Securities and options owned and Securities and options sold, not yet purchased, are subject to margin requirements.

In the course of its normal trading activities, the Company is a party to financial instruments that involve, to indeterminable degrees, market risk in excess of that presented in the Statement of Financial Condition (see Note 8).

**5. Related party transactions**

Holding, Jane Street Capital, LLC, Jane Street Trading, LLC and Jane Street Global Trading, LLC, all affiliates of the Company, provide administrative services and office space, and pay certain operating expenses on behalf of the Company. The Company paid back certain amounts that it owed to Holding during the year. At December 31, 2008, the amount still Due to Holding and Due to affiliates amounted to \$1,708,260. Additionally, the Company pays certain operating and administrative expenses on behalf of its affiliates, and these are reflected in Due from affiliates.

**6. Regulatory requirements**

The Company is a market-maker operating under the exemptive provisions of rule 15c3-1 (b) of the Securities and Exchange Commission, which exempts the Company from the Uniform Net Capital Rule. As a member of the CBOE, the Company is required to meet certain liquidity requirements based on the market prices and number of securities in which the Company acts as a market-maker. At December 31, 2008, the Company had Member's equity of \$7,467,216 which exceeded the liquidity requirement by \$7,333,196.

**7. Exemption from Rule 15c3-3**

The Company is exempt from the Securities and Exchange Commission Rule 15c3-3 pursuant to the exemption provision under subparagraph (k)(2)(ii) and, therefore, is not required to maintain a "Special Reserve Bank Account for Exclusive Benefit of Customers".

**NOTES TO STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION**  
**December 31, 2008**

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**8. Derivative financial instruments**

The Company's activities include the purchase and sale of derivative financial instruments in the form of options and futures. These securities are used for trading purposes and for managing risks associated with the portfolio of securities. Management believes that any risk is significantly minimized through its hedging strategies. All positions are reported in the accompanying Statement of Financial Condition at fair value.

**9. Subsequent Events**

Subsequent to December 31, 2008, the Member contributed \$9,200,000 and withdrew \$14,150,000 of capital.